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- 2. Supplement (No. 2) dated 10-9-2026 from pages 1357 to 1400 regarding various Bills from Goa Legislature Secretariat.*

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Department of Archaeology

Notification

1(18)/PM/2023/Vol.I/Archaeology-531

Date : 10-Sep-2026

Whereas, vide Notification No. 1(18)/PM/2023/Vol.I/Archaeology dated 17th February, 2026, published in Official Gazette, Series I No. 49 dated 05th March, 2026 (hereinafter called the “said Notification”), the Government of Goa had notified its intention to declare the ancient monuments/archaeological sites and remains as specified in the Schedule to the said notification to be protected monuments/protected area under the Goa Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1978 (Act No. 1 of 1979) (hereinafter called as the “said Act”) and invited objections and suggestions from the persons interested in the said monuments/sites within a period of two months from the date of publication of the said Notification in the Official Gazette.

And whereas, the said Official Gazette was made available to the public on 05-03-2026;

And whereas, objections/suggestions received from the interested persons have been considered by the Government of Goa.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of Section 3 of the said Act, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Government of Goa hereby declares the said ancient monuments/archaeological sites and remains as specified in the Schedule hereto to be protected monuments/protected area for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Name of the Monument/ Site to be notified	Village	Taluka	Survey No.	Sub-div	Ownership of Monument/Site
1.	Malar Cave	Malar	Tiswadi	2	1	Private
2.	Haat Katro Khambo (Pelourinho Novo)	Old-Goa	Tiswadi	Road area	----	
3.	Cave at Sirdona	Sirdona	Tiswadi	42	2	Government/Private
4.	Ruins of Convent of Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Chimbel	Tiswadi	24	1	Government
5.	Remains of Gopakkapattnam Port	Goa Velha	Tiswadi	120 124	1 3	Private
6.	Jacquem Cave	Neturlim	Sanguem	62	1	Private
7.	Bawlyache Mol	Pirla	Quepem	24	1	Forest Department, Government
8.	Balli Math	Balli	Quepem	48	4	Private
9.	Remains of Temple Sasore Khaddem	Cordem	Quepem	59	4	Private
10.	Tamsuli Cave	Candola	Ponda	86	1-A	Private
11.	Mardangad Fort	Queula	Ponda	27	1	Forest Department, Government
12.	Ruins of Surya Temple	Kudne	Bicholim	75	2	Private
13.	Thadgi/Memorials at Kudnem	Kudne	Bicholim	74	0	Private
14.	Rock cut Tank	Dabolim	Marmugao	14	1	Private
15.	Shree Damodar Temple Tank, Fatorda	Margao	Salcete	Chalta No. 2 of P.T. Sheet No. 75	----	Private

This Notification shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

By order and in the name the Governor of Goa.

Dr. Nilesh B. Fal Dessai, Director and ex officio Joint Secretary (Archaeology).

Panaji.



Department of Power

Office of the Chief Electrical Engineer

Notification

190/1/CEE/Com/Tech/2026-27/813

Date : 09-Sep-2026

Adoption of Common Application Form (CAF), Consolidation of Electricity Bills and Treatment of Electricity Connections for the Amended BharatNet Program.

References:

1. Incentive under Part VI (Implementation of RoW Rules under the Telecommunication Act, 2023) of the Special Assistant to States for Capital Investment for F.Y. 2026-27 (SASCI 2026-27, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India vide Letter No. 44(1)/PF-S/2026-27(CAPEX) dated 27/03/2026.
2. Ministry of Power, Government of India, Letter No. 12/01/2018-NEF(U)-Part-I(E:246321) dated 13/01/2026.
3. Ministry of Power, Government of India, Letter No. 23/1/2023-R&R dated 24/05/2023.

In pursuance of the above and with approval of Competent Authority, The Electricity Department, Government of Goa (GED) hereby adopts the following measures to facilitate rapid implementation of the Amended BharatNet Program (ABP) across Goa:

1) *Government Connection Status.*—

Electricity connections provided at Gram Panchayats and Villages under Amended Bharat Net Program (ABP) shall be classified and treated as Government Connections, in strict accordance with the Ministry of Power Letter No. 12/01/2018-NEF(U)-Part-I(E:246321) dated 13/01/2026.

2) *Common Application Form (CAF).*—

GED shall accept a centralized Common Application Form (CAF) for processing Electricity connection requests relating to the Amended Bharat Net Program. This framework will enable a single application to cover multiple distributed electricity connections required across various locations under the project scope, cutting down procedural lead times.

3) *Consolidation of Electricity Bills.*—

In alignment with the directives issued via Ministry of Power Letter No. 23/1/2023-R&R dated 24/05/2023, GED shall facilitate the consolidation of monthly electricity bills for all electrical connections held by a single applicant under the Amended BharatNet Program. This provision shall apply seamlessly to Telecom Service Providers (TSPs), Infrastructure Providers (IP-I), Bharat Broadband Network implementation agencies or any other authorized implementing agency, subject to Regulatory and applicable operational rules and standard reconciliation procedures.

4) *Implementation Mandate.*—

All concerned Engineers of the Electricity Department shall take immediate necessary action to implement the above provisions. Electricity service connections under the Amended BharatNet Program shall be expedited and processed strictly pursuant to these directives.

This issues with the approval of Government vide U.O. No. 5976/F dated 26/08/2026 and shall come into force with immediate effect.

By order and in the name of Governor of Goa.

Stephen Fernandes, Chief Electrical Engineer & ex officio Addl. Secretary.

Panaji.



Department of Public Health

Order

03/2026/JS(Health)/1299

Date : 04-Sep-2026

Government is pleased to exclude the Group 'A' Gazetted posts of Doctors at Level 10 and above in the Directorate of Health Services, Panaji, from the category of lapsable posts for all purposes. Accordingly, all such posts shall be treated and considered as non-lapsable posts with immediate effect.

This issues with the approval of Personnel Department vide their U. No. 1400122042 dated 24/07/2026 and concurrence of Finance Department (R&C) vide their U. No. 1400122042 dated 22/08/2026.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sitaram G. Sawal, Under Secretary (Health-II)/Link.

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